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PAYLOAD CODING EXCHANGES IN EXISTING CONNECTIONS

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 16, 2007, for which a response was due on August 16, 2007, and for which a Petition for a two (2) month extension of time is hereby requested, extending the period for reply to October 16, 2007. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.